



August 5, Tribal Advisory Committee **Work Group Scoping**

Following are areas that the Work Groups are intending to focus their energies on: Please review and respond with comments by September 5, 2011:

WORK GROUP DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

The Legislation Work Group seeks to:

- **Develop recommended legislative language that supports including Tribes in the IRWMP process, including but not limited to allowing Tribes to propose projects and receive funding directly as part of Integrated Regional Water Management Plans; and**
- **Coordinate with Tribes developing Tribal Resource Legislation as they relate to state-wide Tribal Concerns and the California Water Plan Update 2013.**

1. What questions would you like answered before deciding on these proposals?
2. If all questions are answered to your satisfaction, do you support the concept of the legislation Work Group's development of recommended legislative language?
3. Would you support the concept the legislative Work Group coordinating with Tribes developing Tribal Resource Legislation on behalf of the Tribal AC?
4. What additional advice or suggestions do you wish to offer to the Legislation Work Group?

Please contact Stephanie Lucero if you are interested in working with this Work Group.



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The Communication and Consultation Work Group seeks to:

- **Update and as necessary amend the 2008 Draft Tribal Communication Plan; and**
 - **Develop general guidelines for consultation with Tribes by Department of Water Resources (*recognizing that any guidelines must be approved by relevant state leadership, including without limitation the Governor's office, before implementation*).**
1. What questions would you like answered before deciding on these proposals?
 2. If all questions are answered to your satisfaction, would you support the concept of the consultation and communication Work Group updating and/or amending the 2008 Draft Tribal Communication Plan?
 3. Do you agree with the consultation and communication work group developing general consultation guidelines for working with Department of Water Resources?
 4. What advice or suggestions do you wish to offer to the thisWork Group?

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